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Westminster, March 8.

THIS Day the Lords being met, a Message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by Sir Francis Molyneux, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorized by Virtue of His Majesty's Commission, for declaring His Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate Attendance of this Honourable House in the House of Peers, to hear the Commission read*; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, impowering His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, the Lord President of the Council, and several other Lords therein mentioned, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for continuing and granting to His Majesty certain Duties upon Malt, Mum, Cyder and Perry, for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and eighty-five.

An Act for the Regulation of His Majesty's Marine Forces while on Shore.

An Act for confining, for a limited Time, the Trade between the Ports of the United States of America and His Majesty's Subjects in the Island of Newfoundland to Bread, Flour, and Live Stock, to be imported in none but British-built Ships actually belonging to British Subjects, and navigated according to Law, clearing out from the Ports of His Majesty's European Dominions, and furnished with a Licence, according to the Form hereunto annexed.

An Act for the more easy and speedy Recovery of Small Debts within the Town and Port of Faversham, the Hundreds of Faversham and Boughton, and the several Parishes of Ospringe, Seasalter and Whitstable, in the County of Kent.

An Act to continue the Term and alter and enlarge the Powers of an Act made in the Seventh Year of His present Majesty's Reign to repair and widen the Roads from Whitchurch, in the County of Salop, to the Turnpike Road between Nantwich, in the County of Chester, and Newcastle under Lyne, and from Hinstock to Nantwich aforesaid.

An Act for continuing the Term and Powers of an Act, made in the Fourth Year of His present Majesty's Reign, for repairing several Roads leading from the Buck's Head at Watling Street to Beckbury and the New Inn, and from the Birches Brook to the Hand Post in the Parish of Kemberton in the County of Salop, and for making the same more effectual.

An Act for enlarging the Term and Powers of an Act made in the Fourth Year of the Reign of King George the Third, intituled, An Act for amending and widening the Road from the South End of the Town of Rotheram, in the County of York, to the present Turnpike Road near Pleasley, in the County of Derby; and also the Road from the North End of the said Town of Rotheram into the present Turnpike Road on the East Side of Tankersley Park, in the said County of York, so far as the same relates to the Road leading from Rotheram aforesaid to the Turnpike Road near Pleasley aforesaid.

An Act for enlarging the Term and Powers of an Act made in the Fourth Year of the Reign of King George the Third, intituled, An Act for amending and widening the Road from Tinsley, in the County of York, to the Town of Doncaster, in the said County.

An Act for continuing an Act of the Sixth Year of His present Majesty, for amending and widening the Road from the Town of Biddenden, in the Weald of Kent, through the Towns of Smarden and Charing, to join the Turnpike Road which leads from Ashford to Feversham at a Place called Bound Gate.

And to Three Private Acts.

War-Office, March 8, 1785.

23d Regiment of Light Dragoons, Captain Lieutenant James Affleck is appointed to be Captain of a Troop, vice Jonathan Thomas.

Ditto, Lieutenant Gilbert Child to be Captain Lieutenant, vice James Affleck.

Ditto, Cornet Robert Anstey, to be Lieutenant, vice Gilbert Child.

Coldstream Regiment of Foot Guards, John Spencer, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Charles Howard Bulkeley.

1st Regiment of Foot, 2d Battalion, Ensign James Finney to be Lieutenant, vice David Pringle.

Ditto, Charles Campbell, Gent. to be Ensign, vice James Finney.

8th Regiment of Foot, Ensign Andrew Armstrong to be Lieutenant, vice John Brock.

Ditto, Isaac Brock, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Andrew Armstrong.

9th Regiment of Foot, John Dalzell, Gent. to be Ensign, vice James Hallett Mitchell.

22d Regiment of Foot, Ensign William Mansell, from Half-Pay in Major Fish's late Corps of Foot, to be Ensign, vice Thomas Jenkins.

27th Regiment of Foot, Trevor Fay, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Samuel Bowman.

44th Regiment of Foot, Thomas Hayter, Gent. to be Ensign, vice James Worseley.

69th Regiment of Foot, Ensign James Richardson to be Lieutenant, vice Henry Martin.

Ditto,

[Price Three-pence Halfpenny.]

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Ditto, Jarter Richard Coates, Gent. to be Enſign, vice James Richardſon.

70th Regiment of Foot, Captain Lieutenant Thomas Nicoll to be Captain of a Company, vice Thomas Banks.

Ditto, Lieutenant F. B. D. Bartlett to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Thomas Nicoll.

Ditto, Enſign Thomas Smith to be Lieutenant, vice F. B. D. Bartlett.

General Poſt-Office, February 25, 1785.

THE Poſt-Boy bringing the Mail to this Office from Kingſton was ſtopped near to the Bald Faced Stag Alehouſe adjoining to Wimbledon Common, between Four and Five o'Clock this Morning, by Two Men on Foot, who broke open the Cart, and took away the Mail containing the following Bags, viz.

Portſmouth,	Godalmin,	Kingſton,
Petersfield,	Haſlemere,	Eſher,
Chicheſter,	Midhurſt,	Farnham,
Arundel,	Ripley,	Havant,
Guildford,	Petworth,	Cobham.

One of the Perſons who committed this Robbery is deſcribed to be about Fifty Years of Age, Five Feet Nine or Ten Inches high, luſty made, his Hair grey, which he wears hanging upon his Shoulders, ſmooth Face, and is ſuppoſed to be dreſſed in a blue Surtout Coat.

The other Perſon is about Thirty-ſix Years of Age, Five Feet Six or Seven Inches high, thin made, his Face red, wears his own Hair, and is ſuppoſed to be dreſſed in a dark-coloured Coat. They had both the Appearance of Farmers, and were ſeen in London the Evening of the Robbery.

Whoever ſhall apprehend and convict, or cauſe to be apprehended and convicted, both or either of the Perſons who committed this Robbery, will be entitled to a Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, *over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen; or if any Perſon, whether an Accomplice in the ſaid Robbery or knowing thereof, ſhall make Diſcovery whereby both or either of the Perſons who committted the ſame may be apprehended and brought to Juſtice, ſuch Diſcoverer will, upon Conviction of both or either of the Parties, be entitled to the ſame Reward of* TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, *and will alſo receive His Majeſty's moſt Gracious Pardon.*

By Command of the Poſtmaſter-General,
Anthony Todd, *Sec.*

Watchmakers and Jewellers are deſired to be cautious of whom they take Bank Notes or Bills.

Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich, September 11, 1784.

THE Commiſſioners and Governors of the ſaid Hoſpital hereby give Notice, that at Salters Hall, in London, on Wedneſday the 16th Day of March next, [illegible] after as may be, the following Eſtates, in the [illegible] of Northumberland and Cumberland, will be let on Leaſes for Twenty-one Years, or under, to commence upon the 12th Day of May, 1785, that is to ſay, Eight Farms and a Water Corn Mill *and Ground at* Dilſton; *One Farm at* Corbridge; *Four Farms at* Thornbrough; *One Farm at* Buteland; Woodhall *Farm in the Barony of Wark; and* Lough, Harſondale *and* Sillywray *Farms,* Vauce Loaning-Foot, *and* Plankey Paſture *Farm, and* Tedcaſtle, Lees, Weſt Land Ends, *and* Beamwham *Farms, in the Barony of* Langley; *all in the County of* Northumberland: *And Hartſide Colliery in the County of* Cumberland.

All Perſons deſirous to take the ſaid Eſtates, are requeſted to give in their Propoſals in Writing to Mr. Ibbetſon, at the Admiralty Office, London, at any Time before the Day abovementioned, or on that Day between the Hours of Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon and One o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Salters Hall, in London; and for Particulars of all or any of the ſaid Eſtates, to be let as aforeſaid, apply to Meſſ. Walton *and* Turner, *Receivers for the ſaid Hoſpital, or to the Bailiffs in their reſpective Diſtricts.*

Note, *All Wood Grounds, as now incloſed or marked off for the growing of Wood or Underwood, will be excepted and reſerved to the ſaid Hoſpital, and no Allowance will be made on Account thereof, or on Account of Damages by the Smoke of Langley Lead Mill.*

SUGARS and GINGER for SALE,

BY Order of the Honourable the Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms, in the Long Room at the Cuſtom-Houſe, London, on Thurſday the 17th of March, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, in Lots of 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, and 10 Caſks each.

H.	T.	B.	
30	1	5	Barbadoes.
79	16	50	Antigua.
43	18	165	St. Kitts.
7	5	16	Nevis.
39	7	36	Montſerratt.
81	11	3	Tortola.
0	0	18	Barbadoes Ginger.

The Samples to be viewed in Wycherley's-yard oppoſite Bear Quay, on Tueſday the 15th, Wedneſday the 16th, and Thurſday the 17th of March.

East-India Houſe, February 16, 1785.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt-Indies do hereby give Notice,

That the Transfer Books of the Eaſt India Annuities will be ſhut on Friday the 11th of March next, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Friday the 15th of April following.

And that the Dividend Warrants, due the 5th of April, will be ready to be delivered on Monday the 2d of May next.

Office of Ordnance, Feb. 25, 1785.

THE Principal Officers of His Majeſty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice, That they will ſell by Public Auction, at the Tower, on Monday the 14th Day of March next, at Twelve o'Clock in the Forenoon, ſundry Lots of Unſerviceable Muſquets, Muſquetoons, Piſtols, Swords, Halberts, Bayonet and Sword Scabbards, Carteuch Boxes, Tanned and Buff Leather Accoutrements, Flints of Sorts, Rough Stocks for Muſquets, Muſquet and Carbine Barrels, Muſquet Locks, Muſquet Bayonets, Sea Service Swords, Steel Rammers, Old Braſs Work, and other Old and Unſerviceable Ordnance Stores, which may be viewed at the Tower till the Day of Sale. Printed Liſts of the Lots will be delivered to ſuch Perſons as may apply at the Tower for the ſame.

By Order of the Board,
Aug. Rogers, *Secretary.*

Royal Exchange Aſſurance Office, London, March 3, 1785.

THE Court of Directors of the Royal Exchange Aſſurance Company do hereby give Notice, that a General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at their Office on the Royal Exchange, on Wedneſday the 16th Day of March inſtant, from Twelve o'Clock at Noon till Two in the Afternoon, on Buſineſs of the Company, and for the Election of a Deputy Governor, in the Room of John Bell, Eſq; elected Sub-Governor; which Election will be declared as ſoon as the Scrutiny is over.

Printed Liſts of the Proprietors qualified to vote will be ready to be delivered at the Office, on Wedneſday the 9th Inſtant.

A Quarterly General Court of the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne, for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of Poor Clergy, will be held at their House in Dean's Yard, Weſtminſter, on Thurſday the 17th of March inſtant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majeſty's Ship Monſieur, the Honourable Charles Phipps, Commander, who were actually on Board at the Capture of the Comteſſe de Buzancois, on the 10th of December, 1780, (in Company with His Majeſty's Ships Veſtal, St. Albans, Portland, and Solebay) that they will be paid their reſpective Shares of Prize-Money on Thurſday the 10th Day of March inſtant, at the French Horn, Crutched-friars; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at No. 11, Savage-gardens, the firſt Thurſday in every Month for Three Years to come.

Poulain *and* Keys, *for* Edward Ommanney, *Agent.*

Dedicated (by Permiſſion) to His Majeſty.

To be publiſhed in June, or ſooner, if the Plates can be finiſhed,

In One handſome Volume Quarto, Price to Subſcribers One Guinea in Boards,

AN IMPARTIAL and AUTHENTIC JOURNAL of the intereſting Tranſactions that happened during the recent, long and memorable

BLOCKADE and SIEGE of GIBRALTAR.

By Captain J. DRINKWATER,
Of the late 72d Regiment, or Royal Manchester Volunteers.

This Work will comprehend a regular Detail of every Military and Naval Operation, which occurred during that tedious, though glorious Epoch; from the Commencement of the War in 1779, to ſome Months ſucceeding the Peace in 1783.

The Manuſcript has been made complete by the Aſſiſtance of ſeveral Gentlemen, who acted in the firſt public Capacities in the Garriſon; and many Officers of diſtinguiſhed Rank, and eminent profeſſional Abilities, preſent at the Siege, have already honoured the Publication with their Sanction and Support.

The Journal will be prefaced with a Deſcription and hiſtorical Account of that important Place, from the Æra of its being fortified by the Moors, with the Revolutions it has undergone, to the preſent Time; occaſionally interſperſed with many entertaining genuine Anecdotes; and illuſtrated by Ten Folio deſcriptive Plans and picturesque Views, elegantly engraved by celebrated Artiſts, from original Drawings, taken and finiſhed at Gibraltar by the Author, who was preſent the whole Period.

Thoſe Gentlemen who intend honouring Captain D. with their Names for this Work, are requeſted to leave their Addreſſes in Writing, at Meſſrs. Egerton's Military Library, near Whitehall.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of the late Mr. Benjamin Sutherland, Taylor, of Great May's-buildings, St. Martin's-lane: And all Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of the late Mrs. Jennett Sutherland, Widow of the ſaid Benjamin Sutherland, are deſired to pay the ſame unto Mr. Alexander Dow, the Executor, No. 6, May's-buildings: All thoſe who have any Demands on the ſaid ſeparate Eſtates, are requeſted to deliver the ſame unto the ſaid Executor.

Hull, March 3, 1785.

THE Partnerſhip between John Stephenſon and Joſeph Wilkinſon, of Hull, Merchants, under the Firm of Stephenſon and Wilkinſon, being this Day diſſolved by mutual Conſent, they deſire all Perſons concerned to ſettle their Dependencies with the ſaid John Stephenſon, who alone is authorized to liquidate the ſame.

John Stephenſon.
Joſeph Wilkinſon.

March 7, 1785.

WHEREAS the Partnerſhip between Henry Davis and Salmon Humphries, of Miles's-lane, Merchants, is diſſolved by mutual Conſent. All Perſons who have any Demands upon, or are indebted to, the ſaid Copartners, are requeſted to ſettle their Accounts with Mr. Davis.

Henry Davis.
Salmon Humphries.

THE Creditors of Ebenezer Erſkine, late Grocer in Glaſgow, are requeſted to meet by themſelves, or Agents, at the Houſe of Peter M'Kinlay, Vintner in Glaſgow, on the 22d of March inſtant, and to bring their Claims properly authenticated, in order to accompliſh a Final Settlement of ſaid Concern.

TO be peremptorily ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before John Wilmot, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, on Thurſday the 14th Day of April next, between the Hours of Five and Six o'Clock in the Afternoon, in ſeveral Lots, Several Freehold Eſtates, late of Benjamin Fearnley, of Birſtall, in the County of York, Gentleman, deceaſed, conſiſting of Two undivided Third Parts of the Manor of Oakwell, Gomerſall and Heckmondwicke; and alſo conſiſting of the Capital Manſion-Houſe, called Oakwell Hall; and likewiſe of ſeveral Meſſuages, Tenements, Farms, Lands, Woods, Lands, and Grounds, ſituate at or near Birſtall, Gomerſall and Manningham, in the Weſt Riding of the ſaid County of York, containing about 230 Acres, of the yearly Value of 330l. or thereabouts.

Particulars to be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers, where a Plan of the Eſtates may be ſeen.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cauſe Card and others againſt Hill and another, the Creditors of John Wade, late of Whitcomb-ſtreet, Leiceſter-fields, Taylor, deceaſed, under the Deed of Truſt dated the 1ſt Day of January, 1766, are perſonally or by their Solicitors, peremptorily to come in and prove their Debts before William Weller Pepys, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 11th Day of April next, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Thomas Watſon, of Bedford ſtreet, Covent-garden, in the County of Middleſex, Hoſier, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Monday the 14th Day of March inſtant, at Five in the Afternoon, at the City Coffee-houſe, Cheapſide, London, to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and alſo to conſider of diſpoſing of his Stock in Trade by private Contract or otherwiſe, or to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Hopwood, late of Market Weighton, in the County of York, and now a Priſoner in His Majeſty's Gaol the Caſtle of York, in and for the County of York, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 30th and 31ſt Days of March inſtant, and on the 19th Day of April next, at the Houſe of John Briggs, in Market Weighton, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each Day, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. John Robinſon, jun. Attorney, at South Cave, in the County of York.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Haſlehurſt, of Macleſfield in the County of Cheſter, Innholder, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Cmiſſionomers in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 1ſt, 2d, and 19th of April next, at Ten in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at the Sign of the Queen's Head, in Macceſfield aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Jones, Attorney, in Macclesfield aforeſaid, or to Mr. Cooper, Attorney, in Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Hall and William Green, of the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surry, Cheeſemongers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, and they being declared Bankrupts, are hereby required to ſurrender themſelves to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 12th Day of March inſtant, at Ten in the Forenoon, on the 19th of the ſame Month, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, and on the 19th Day of April next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London,